

Title (en)
Pressure balanced radial rotary shaft seal

Title (de)
Druckentlastete radiale Drehwellendichtung

Title (fr)
Joint pour arbre rotatif radial à pression équilibrée

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Abstract (en)
In combination with a body (2) defining an annular space (10) and a member (4) received for rotation or linear movement within the annular space (10), an annular seal (20) includes a first sealing member (28) defining a first sealing portion (70) disposed in constant engagement with a peripheral surface (6) of the member (4) during the rotation or the linear movement thereof, a second sealing member (80) defining a second sealing portion (90) disposed in constant engagement with the first sealing member (28) and radially aligned only with the first sealing portion (70), and a fluid pressure directed at least onto the second sealing member (80), whereby the second sealing portion (90) is configured to bias the first sealing portion (70) into the constant engagement with the peripheral surface (6) of the member (4).

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